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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

As a customer of Sonic, I enjoy a local company that provides me with excellent service at a competitive price. I also greatly enjoy their inexpensive phone service with free international calling. A combination I received for a much better rate then previously from ATT. Lately they are also offering gigabit service to which I am planning to switch.

I am greatly angered that ATT is attempting to obstruct the success of local companies like Sonic.

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